

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Docket Number (Optional)  
D/A0833 (1508-3160)

In re Application of: Michelle Q. Wang Baldonado et al.

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING A  
COMPUTER-MEDIATED DISCUSSION FORUM

Group Art Unit: 2141

Examiner: Djenane M. Bayard

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner.

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